

## SCRAP IRON SOFTBALL CLUB

### BY-LAWS

These by-laws describe the basic policy for the operation of the SCRAP IRON SOFTBALL CLUB, a non-profit corporation formed to provide an opportunity for senior softball players to participate in local, national, and international softball leagues and tournaments.

#### I. GOVERNANCE

Decision making authority shall reside with two groups, the Executive Committee made up of the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, and three At-Large members, and the Board of Directors made up of a representative from each softball team.

Policies, rules, and procedures not specifically covered in these by-laws shall be made by the Executive Committee. The Board of Directors may, by majority vote, override any action of the Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee and the Board of Directors shall meet at least twice each year to set policy, determine the financial status of the corporation, establish team budgets, elect the Executive Committee members, and conduct any other club related business. One meeting will be held at the end of the year and the other at the beginning of the year. The President or another member of the Executive Committee shall chair the meetings.

There shall be no financial compensation for Executive Committee members, or Board of Directors, but reasonable expenses arising from club duties will be reimbursed.

#### II. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, and At-Large members shall be elected by the Board of Directors for one year terms. Elections will be held at the last Board of Directors meeting of each year.

Any member of the Executive Committee may be dismissed at any time by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors and be replaced by a majority vote of the Board of Directors.

#### III. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Director selected by each team will serve a one-year term. Teams shall select their directors prior to the first Board meeting of the year.

A Director may be dismissed and replaced by a majority vote of his team members.

Directors shall represent their teams at Board of Directors meetings and may make recommendations for action by the Executive Committee.

Directors shall submit their team budgets at the first Board meeting of each year.

The Board of Directors and Executive Committee will approve the budgets for all teams at the first meeting of each year.

IV. MEMBERSHIP

Annual membership in the SCRAP IRON SOFTBALL CLUB is open to anyone, but player/members must be at least forty years of age during the current year.

Membership fees will be considered contributions and will be established at the first Board meeting each year.

V. TEAMS

There is no limit on the number of teams in the SCRAP IRON SOFTBALL CLUB, but any team admitted must comply with the age requirements of the senior softball associations.

Teams shall be admitted by approval of a majority vote of the Executive Committee.

Each team shall have a Manager and Assistant Manager selected by a majority vote of the team members.

VI. GENERAL

For the conduct of all meetings, Roberts Rules of Order shall be used as a general guideline.

These By-Laws and any amendments shall become effective when approved by a majority vote of the Executive Committee and the Board of Directors.

These By-Laws were approved on December 4, 2021